



Montana Board of Environmental Review

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Upper Blackfoot Mining Complex Tour July 29, 2004

*(NOTE: Board members and DEQ personnel will occupy approximately 3 large vans. The Board will NOT, at any time, be in quorum in the vans. There are no bathroom facilities along the route of this tour. The Board will be in quorum at sites chosen for stops. Representatives of the press and members of the general public are welcome to follow the vans and accompany the Board on the tour, via their own transportation. **Times indicated on the agenda below are approximate.**)*

Thursday, July 29

- 7:30 a.m.** **3 Board members, Board Attorney & DEQ Staff meet at the Metcalf Building, 1520 East Sixth Avenue**
- 8:00 a.m.** **Vans will depart from the Metcalf Building, heading to Lincoln**
- 9:30 a.m.** **Meet 4 Board Members traveling from other cities at the Forest Service Compound in Lincoln** – These Board members will ride in the vans from this point; however, there will not be a quorum of the Board in any vehicle.
- 9:40 a.m.** **Depart FS Compound for UBMC site**
- 10:00 a.m.** **Arrive UBMC site** – There is no specific agenda for the tour itself. Participants will be guided by staff from ASARCO, the Forest Service and the DEQ.
- 12:00** **Break for Lunch** – Board members and DEQ staff will have sack lunches; members of the press and the public should bring their own provisions.
- 1:00** **Lunch ends and the tour will continue**
- Between**
2:00-4:00 p.m. **Tour concludes** – Two vans will drive the 4 Board members back to the Forest Service Compound to retrieve their vehicles. The third van will depart directly for Helena.
- Between**
3:30-5:30 p.m. **Arrive Helena** – Board members and staff will all go their own directions.

(Other information: UBMC has been known to have rain, wind, snow, and sunshine all within the scope of one day, so dress appropriately - clothing in layers; wear good walking shoes - heavy boots aren't necessary, but stay away from sandals; ticks and mosquitoes are especially troublesome, so bring a good insect repellent. Other things to bring: sunscreen, hat, and sunglasses)

For more information regarding this agenda or the tour, please contact the Board Secretary, Joyce Wittenberg, at (406) 444-6701, or by email at jwittenberg@state.mt.us.